

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Fourth Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
October - December 2002**

Juvenile Court **Davidson**
Court Number **19**

Mid-Cumberland Region

October - December 2002 **4,514 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting **3,578 Children**

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

4	OR	0.08% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
14	OR	0.27% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
11	OR	0.21% Aggravated Robbery
1	OR	0.02% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
3	OR	0.06% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
20	OR	0.38% Other Sexual Offenses
33	OR	0.63% Aggravated Assault
3	OR	0.06% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
140	OR	2.68% Assault
7	OR	0.13% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
14	OR	0.27% Aggravated Burglary
170	OR	3.25% Theft of Property
47	OR	0.90% Vandalism
3	OR	0.06% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
1	OR	0.02% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
37	OR	0.71% Burglary
2	OR	0.04% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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3	OR	0.06% Sale of Controlled Substances
86	OR	1.65% Other Drug Offenses
81	OR	1.55% Possession of Controlled Substances
14	OR	0.27% Criminal Attempt
9	OR	0.17% Carrying Weapons on School Property
36	OR	0.69% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
60	OR	1.15% Evading Arrest
29	OR	0.56% Escape
2	OR	0.04% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
52	OR	1.00% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
27	OR	0.52% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
1	OR	0.02% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
4	OR	0.08% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
1	OR	0.02% Filing a False Police Report
14	OR	0.27% Criminal Impersonation
120	OR	2.30% Disorderly Conduct
63	OR	1.21% Criminal Trespass
3	OR	0.06% Public Intoxication
6	OR	0.11% Gambling
94	OR	1.80% Traffic
194	OR	3.71% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
365	OR	6.99% Contempt of Court
262	OR	5.02% Violation of Probation
19	OR	0.36% Violation of Aftercare
87	OR	1.67% Unruly Behavior
33	OR	0.63% Truancy
219	OR	4.19% In-State Runaway
1	OR	0.02% Out-of-State Runaway
44	OR	0.84% Possession of Tobacco Products
57	OR	1.09% Violation of a Valid Court Order
83	OR	1.59% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
438	OR	8.39% Dependency/Neglect
33	OR	0.63% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
22	OR	0.42% Foster Care Review
92	OR	1.76% Custody
55	OR	1.05% Visitation
290	OR	5.55% Paternity/Legitimation
538	OR	10.30% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
1	OR	0.02% Consent to Marry
1,175	OR	22.50% Other
5,223	OR	100.00% Total

Of the 4,514 Cases, There Were
Referral Source

5,223 Referral Sources

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1,462	OR	28.0% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
1,979	OR	37.9% Were Referred By Parents
246	OR	4.7% Were Referred By Relatives
64	OR	1.2% Were Referred By Self
159	OR	3.0% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
356	OR	6.8% Were Referred By DCS
2	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
45	OR	0.9% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
621	OR	11.9% Were Referred By Court Staff
14	OR	0.3% Were Referred By Social Agency
2	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
30	OR	0.6% Were Referred By Victim
2	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
17	OR	0.3% Were Unknown
224	OR	4.3% Other
5,223	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 4,514 Cases, There Were 5,223 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

3,871	OR	74.1% Petition Filed
1,084	OR	20.8% Motion Filed
121	OR	2.3% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
1	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
136	OR	2.6% Other
10	OR	0.2% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
5,223	OR	100.0% Total

3,871

Of The 4,514 Cases:

Type Of Detention

1	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
1	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
918	OR	20.3% Unknown
3,594	OR	79.6% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
4,514	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

0	OR	0.0% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
920	OR	20.4% Unknown
3,594	OR	79.6% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
4,514	OR	100.0% Total

During October - December 2002 Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

3,578 Children

Age of Child At Referral

1,675	OR	46.8% Birth Through Age 10
220	OR	6.1% Ages 11 Through 12
405	OR	11.3% Ages 13 Through 14
736	OR	20.6% Ages 15 Through 16
466	OR	13.0% Age 17 Through 18
57	OR	1.6% Age 19 And Over
19	OR	0.5% Unknown/Not Reported
3,578	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

1,833	OR	51.2% Male
1,277	OR	35.7% Female
468	OR	13.1% Unknown
3,578	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

1,009	OR	28.2% White
1,695	OR	47.4% African American
3	OR	0.1% Native American
33	OR	0.9% Asian
169	OR	4.7% Mixed Race
669	OR	18.7% Unknown
3,578	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 3,578 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

91	OR	2.5% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

163	OR	4.6% Living With Both Biological Parents
15	OR	0.4% Living With Father And Stepmother
45	OR	1.3% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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2,343	OR	65.5% Living With Mother
182	OR	5.1% Living With Father
386	OR	10.8% Living With Relatives
13	OR	0.4% Living With Adoptive Parents
116	OR	3.2% Living With Foster Family
27	OR	0.8% Living In A Group Home
54	OR	1.5% Living In A Residential Center
6	OR	0.2% Living In An Institution
0	OR	0.0% Living Independently
160	OR	4.5% Unknown
68	OR	1.9% Other
3,578	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

1,770	OR	49.5% Were Enrolled In School
939	OR	26.2% Were Not Enrolled In School
869	OR	24.3% Unknown
3,578	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

193	OR	5.4% Too Young For School
20	OR	0.6% Pre-School
45	OR	1.3% Finished Kindergarten
72	OR	2.0% Finished Grade 1
53	OR	1.5% Finished Grade 2
38	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 3
51	OR	1.4% Finished Grade 4
62	OR	1.7% Finished Grade 5
126	OR	3.5% Finished Grade 6
192	OR	5.4% Finished Grade 7
292	OR	8.2% Finished Grade 8
375	OR	10.5% Finished Grade 9
163	OR	4.6% Finished Grade 10
90	OR	2.5% Finished Grade 11
40	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
3	OR	0.1% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
4	OR	0.1% Never Been In School
1,759	OR	49.2% Unknown
3,578	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

212	OR	5.9% Were Enrolled In Special Education
1,997	OR	55.8% Not Enrolled In Special Education
1,369	OR	38.3% Unknown
3,578	OR	100.0% Total

NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

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The Following Are The	7,670 Specific Case Outcomes
396 OR	5.16% Case Dismissed
119 OR	1.55% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
1 OR	0.01% Warned/Counseled
0 OR	0.00% Held Open For Review
315 OR	4.11% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
5 OR	0.07% Probation To Parents
36 OR	0.47% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
0 OR	0.00% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
95 OR	1.24% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
3 OR	0.04% Referred To Alternative School
0 OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
19 OR	0.25% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0 OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
122 OR	1.59% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
4 OR	0.05% Driver's License Held Informally
0 OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0 OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0 OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
199 OR	2.59% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
20 OR	0.26% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
165 OR	2.15% Fine
280 OR	3.65% Public Service
95 OR	1.24% Restitution
203 OR	2.65% Runaway Returned
0 OR	0.00% No Contact Order
0 OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0 OR	0.00% House Arrest
0 OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0 OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0 OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
10 OR	0.13% Released From Probation
10 OR	0.13% Transferred To Adult Court
0 OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
9 OR	0.12% DCS Commitment - Determinate
132 OR	1.72% DCS Commitment/Custody
39 OR	0.51% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0 OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
0 OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation
14 OR	0.18% DCS Probation
161 OR	2.10% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0 OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
6 OR	0.08% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
29 OR	0.38% Parental Rights Terminated
0 OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0 OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
787 OR	10.26% Court Costs
2 OR	0.03% Foster Care Terminated
0 OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued
279 OR	3.64% Custody Changed
394 OR	5.14% Custody Unchanged

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110	OR	1.43% Visitation Changed
11	OR	0.14% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
160	OR	2.09% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
17	OR	0.22% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
578	OR	7.54% Child Support Granted
158	OR	2.06% Child Support Amended
3	OR	0.04% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
1	OR	0.01% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
1	OR	0.01% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
2,682	OR	34.97% Other
7,670	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the 5,223 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

330	OR	6.3% Disposed By The Judge
4,872	OR	93.3% Disposed By The Referee
9	OR	0.2% Disposed By The YSO
12	OR	0.2% Other
5,223	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 4,514 Cases Disposed,		5,223	
The Action Used To Dispose/Adjust Each Of The		Referral Reasons Was:	
435	OR	8.3% Dismissed	
518	OR	9.9% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>	
1,012	OR	19.4% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	
145	OR	2.8% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	
89	OR	1.7% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused	
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	
77	OR	1.5% Informal Adjustment	
187	OR	3.6% Pretrial Diversion	
26	OR	0.5% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing	
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court	
2,537	OR	48.6% Special Proceeding	
8	OR	0.2% Review Concluded	
0	OR	0.0% Case Held Open	
189	OR	3.6% Other	
5,223	OR	100.0% Total	